

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.
1453/US/2

In Re Application Of: Nicolaas Dekker et al.

Application No. 10/624,938	Filing Date 21 July 2003	Examiner Purol, David M.	Customer No. 20686	Group Art Unit 3634	Confirmation No. 6369
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Invention: **VENETIAN BLIND WITH VARIABLE TILTING**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of December 6, 2007 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: March 6, 2008
Date until: June 6, 2008
Date

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	10 -	34 =	0	x \$52.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 -	3 =	0	x \$220.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$1,110.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$1,110.00

Adjustment date: 05/01/2009 CKHLOK
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- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
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